

Status of Bellevue Small Area Plan: Fiscal Year 2016, 1st Quarter.

Agency Estimated Starting Year Action - Description Status*

DC Public Library: 1

2010

BL-FSS-2.6-I:-Community Resources: Redevelop Washington Highlands Library to create an anchor with the South Capitol/Atlantic Street node, which enhances neighborhood character.



Update: Construction of the new Washington-Highlands Neighborhood Library is nearing completion. The new building will open in early 2012. The 22,000 square foot, environmentally-friendly design library will feature more than 40,000 books, 40 computers with free Wi-Fi Internet access, 100-person community room adjacent to a new outdoor patio and many other state-of-the-art features. While the new building is under construction, an interim location is open at 4037 South Capitol St., S.W. during construction.

Department of Employment Services: 1

2010

BL-FSS-2.6-H:-Community Resources: Target resources and expand capacity of job training, education, and job-placement services to increase employment and entrepreneurial opportunities.



Updates:

"One City • One Hire" Initiative: One Hire is an innovative strategy that will encourage Washington metropolitan area employers to commit to hire at least one unemployed District resident. Over 198 employers have expressed interest in hiring a DC resident so far; DOES targeting outreach to major Ward 8 employers. A career center is located w Since its launch, 19 ward 8 residents have been hired for jobs or apprenticeships.

Additionally, a Workforce Development Navigators program was developed and piloted in preparation for the Mayor"s Ward 8 Summit. The Campaign will connect hard-to-serve District residents and the network of DC Works! The pilot focuses on Ward 8 residents.

Department of Housing and Community Development: 1

2010

BL-FSS-2.6-A:-Housing: Coordinate with Property Acquisition and Disposition Division (PADD) to develop affordable and market-rate housing on vacant and underutilized properties



Department of Small and Local Business Development: 1

2010

BL-FSS-2.6-D:-Commercial and Retail Development: Engage existing and new business owners to create a merchants association to provide general technical assistance to retailers and property owners to promote retention, encourage mixed use options, and promote improvements to the overall business environment.



Department of the Environment: 1

2010

BL-FSS-2.6-C:-Housing: Actively promote weatherization program for low-moderate income households in order to offer financial assistance in making homes more efficient and cutting monthly utility costs.



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| District Department of Transportation: 1 | | | |
| | 2010 | | |
| | | BL-FSS-2.6-J:-LAND USE/URBAN DESIGN & PUBLIC SPACE: Implement Great Streets improvements for the South Capitol Street Corridor from Halley Street, SE to Galveston Place to include pedestrian safety and streetscaping through consistent signage and street furniture | In Process |
| | | b) Incorporate placemaking elements into new development projects; public plazas, water features, public art, sidewalk activities, etc. | |
| | | c) Create new and rehabilitate existing trails for residents to access the parks, green spaces and neighborhood amenities by foot or by bicycle | |
| Office o | of Planning: 3 | | |
| | 2010 | | |
| | | BL-FSS-2.6-E:-Commercial and Retail Development: Work with property owners to facilitate the appropriate mix of retail establishments on their site(s) | In Process |
| | | BL-FSS-2.6-F:-Commercial and Retail Development : a) Recruit stores to participate in health promoting programs such as the Healthy Corner Store Program (DC Hunger Solutions and Department of Health) and provide technical assistance to member stores | In Process |
| | | b)Encourage local businesses to participate in a cooperative buying agreement with the Ward 8 Farmers market for distribution of fresh, healthy food options | |
| | | BL-FSS-2.6-G:-Commercial Resources : Solicit participation from faithbased and non-profit organizations to promote existing programs and resources, specifically those involving education, job training, and youth services | In Process |
| Private | Sector: 2 | | |
| | 2010 | | |
| | | BL-FSS-2.6-B:-Housing: Develop mixed-income housing at development opportunity sites and infill sites; ensure appropriately scaled development through design review. | Planned |
| | | BL-FSS-2.6-K:-LAND USE/URBAN DESIGN & PUBLIC SPACE: Redevelop the South Capitol/ Atlantic Street and South Capitol/ Southern Avenue sites as moderate density mixed-use to be consistent with existing zoning. | Future |

Grand Total: 11

* Future - No funding or action yet

Planning Stage - Project planning has been initiated by the lead or partner agencies
Planned - A project has been planned, but construction or implementation has not begun. A project in this stage may be waiting for approval or funding. In Process - Construction or implementation work has been initiated by the lead or partner agencies, but is not yet completed

No Action - No action has occurred

Complete - Done
Cancelled - Project is no longer contemplated or part of an agency workplan